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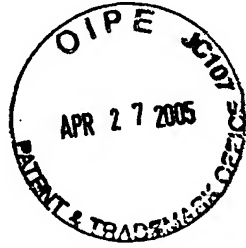
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The owner of one hundred percent (100%) interest in the above-identified application is Ward-Kraft, Inc. ("Assignee"), 2401 Cooper Street, Fort Scott, Kansas 66701, and the undersigned has been authorized by Assignee to sign on Assignee's behalf.

An assignment of the above-identified application from the inventor, JESSE D. CRUM, was made to Assignee, and such assignment was recorded at Reel 013556, Frames 0189 on December 5, 2002.

Assignee hereby disclaims, except as provided below, the terminal part of the statutory term of any patent granted on the above-identified application which would extend beyond the expiration date of the full statutory term of prior Patent No. 6,773,181 ("the '181 patent"), as the term of said prior patent is presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer. Assignee hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the above-identified application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that it and the '181 patent are commonly owned.

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Respectfully submitted

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